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Forum Hears Travel Talk

At the Fortnightly Forum last Sunday evening a very good attendance met to hear George E. Coleman of Brunswick, who came to tell of his recent trip to Germany and other countries of Europe. Mr. Coleman went as a delegate to the World's Poultry Congress in Berlin and enjoyed an exceptional opportunity to travel extensively and learn a great deal about conditions in Germany and the rest of Europe. In a very easy and pleasant manner the speaker told of his trip through France and Switzerland and into Germany and then Holland and England. His first-hand observations upon conditions in Germany and his visit to the Olympic Games were of special interest.

Shower

Mrs. Custer Quimby (Wilma Hall) was tendered a miscellaneous shower at the home of her aunt, Mrs. T. F. Vall, Saturday evening. This was a surprise to Mrs. Quimby, who was warded into the living room where she found a jolly company of old friends waiting to greet her.

The room where the event was held had been made very attractive with decorations of green and white and the gift basket was covered with matching colors. A prettily arranged knot at the top of the basket concealed a poem which Mrs. Quimby read to the guests before displaying the gifts.

The evening's entertainment consisted of a poem read by Mrs. Vall and the singing of popular songs with Mrs. Laurence Lord at the piano. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served by the hostess.

Those present were Mrs. Dorothy Tucker, Mrs. Laurence Lord, Mrs. Herbert R. Rowe, Mrs. Earl Davis, Mrs. Ralph Burris, Miss Maxine Clough, Mrs. Wilbur Myers, Miss Catherine Lyon, Miss Katherine Dalley, Mrs. Clayton Fossett, Miss Lucia Van, Mrs. C. W. Hall, Miss Harriet Morrill, and Miss Roma Warren.

LADIES' AID OFFICERS

The following officers were elected at the regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid Jan. 21:

President--Miss Minnie Capen
1st Vice-Pres.--Mrs. Mabel Greenleaf
2d Vice-Pres.--Mrs. Lettie Hall
Secretary--Miss Eugenia Haselton

Assistant Secretary--Mrs. Irene Hutchinson
Treasurer--Mrs. Millie Wentzel

Charles D. Manny

Charles D. Manny of Newcastle, N. B. passed away at a hospital there Monday after a long illness. He was born in Winchester, Mass., 74 years ago. As a young man he entered the spool business in Maine going to Newcastle in 1895 to continue in that line.

He is survived by his wife, formerly Miss Minnie Lee Hadden of Bethel, and a daughter, Louise.

Mrs. Flora J. Cole

Mrs. Flora J. Cole ("Aunt Flo") died Friday morning at her home in Bryant Pond. She was born at Paris, April 9, 1846, the daughter of Leonard and Hannah Poole Berry. She had been a resident of Woodstock for 35 years. She was a past matron of Jefferson Chapter, O. E. B., and a member of the Star Birthday Grange. She was an active member in all these orders as long as health would permit. She has been tenderly cared for by her only child, Fred M. Cole and wife.

Her funeral was held Sunday afternoon at the Baptist Church. Rev. James MacKillop officiated. The burial was in the cemetery. The Eastern Star and Grange attended the services.

Maine Potatoes Need More Advertising

Charles M. White, marketing chief of the Maine Department of Agriculture said recently the potato industry of Maine has reached a stage of high class grading and shipping that makes effective advertising necessary if the maximum benefits are to be realized from the quality work of Maine potato-men.

"A standardization of grades and a reputation for quality has been achieved by Maine potatoes which can be of great financial value to Maine producers if the consuming public is informed of this fact by sufficient advertising and proper publicity," White said.

According to White, Maine potatoes are now selling in Detroit for 30-50 cents more per 100 pound sack than native Michigan potatoes. "Advertising could do a great deal for a product which through natural worth has achieved a premium price like that," White said.

Other potato-raising states of the country are doing their utmost in the line of standardizing grades and effective packaging, White said. "Pennsylvania and other states have been spurred on by Maine's grading and Maine potato men must not slip up on their initial advantage will be lost," White said.

A bill intended to raise \$100,000 for potato advertising is being drawn up for introduction to the present Legislature. This fund would be raised by an assessment of a cent on each barrel sold by the grower according to Rep. George E. Findlen (R) from Fort Fairfield. Findlen is House chairman of the committee on agriculture.

A series of meetings to be held by representatives of the State Department of Agriculture and Maine Development Commission is scheduled for potato-producing areas of southern and central Maine this week. The advantages of the potato to advertising will be explained and details of the proposed cent-a-barrel measure be discussed with potato shippers and growers.

Prize Speaking at the West Paris High School

The annual prize speaking of the West Paris High School will take place in the Assembly Hall, Friday evening, Jan. 29. The program: Hickey's Marker, Elsie Maala Lady With the Lamp, Shirley Welch

The Unthankful Orphan, Muriel Emery

The Perfect Tribute, Myron Pierce

Unknown Soldier, Emory Flavin

Daddy Doe, Helmi Cummings

Pollyanna, Amy Stevens

How the Robin's Red Breast Came Red, Hilda Lilimatta

Kidnapping of Shirley, Madge Morgan

Bargain Monday, Lilla Pike

Judge will be Miss Eleanor Wood, Norway High School; Principal Clair Wood, South Paris High School; Robert Waugh of Hebron Academy.

DANCE

Bethel Grange Hall

FRIDAY, JANUARY 29

LADIES, 15c

GENTS, 25c

Prices

Lord's Orchestra

BASKETBALL Fri., Jan. 29

Gould

vs.

Old Orchard

Eight o'clock

WILLIAM BINGHAM GYMNASIUM

GIRLS' INTERCLASS GAME, 7 p.m.

Olympic Prospects Train at Rumford

Two Rumford boys, one a national interscholastic snowshoe champion and the other class "A" ski-jumping champion of the Eastern United States, will be out after national winter sports honors again this winter.

Edmund Hachey, 18-year-old high school senior, is training strenuously in the fields and slopes around Rumford in anticipation of scoring victories in the snowshoe dashes at the International Meet in Ottawa later this winter. Last year young Hachey captured the interscholastic One-Hundred Dash title in the near record time of thirteen and three-fifths seconds.

19-year-old Aurele Legere also a senior, has the distinction of being one of the outstanding ski-jumpers of the nation, and according to experts in the art, should go a long way in the jumping field. Two years ago this light-weight lad won the class "B" championship and last winter at the age of 18 took over the class "A" title at Brattleboro, Vt., with a leap of 197 feet and a point score of 215.2 far ahead of veteran winners like Sig Jorgenson and Carl Holstrom of New York.

Not only did the 120 pound Legere take the eastern title, but won first honors at the Norwegian Ski Meet, New York; the Nansen Ski Meet, Berlin, N. H., and the home carnival at Rumford.

According to George E. Lord, president of the famed Chisholm Outing Club of Rumford, both Hachey and Legere have possibilities of becoming "outstanding winter sports performers of the nation."

"Both these boys are very seriously interested in the finer points of their respective arts and with the progress that has already been made, I feel confident that both will be star performers on the United States Olympic winter sports team in 1940," Lord said.

According to Lord, snow conditions around Rumford have been far from ideal during the past two weeks but have permitted the two boy champions to get in a fair amount of training in preparation for the coming "big" competitions which both Hachey and Legere have their eyes on very confidently.

Bethel Grange

Bethel Grange, No. 56, held its regular meeting Jan. 21. Officers absent were Chaplain, Secretary and Treasurer. The following committees were appointed by Worthy Master Williams: Finance--P. J. Clifford, Mary Brown, and P. E. Russell; Home and Community Welfare--P. J. Clifford, Ruth Poole and Cella Gorman. Bro. B. W. Kimball was installed Overseer by Bro. Russell. Reces was declared.

The Worthy Lecturer presented the following program: Singing, Grange, Roll Call, Something we can do to better our Grange this year. Some very good suggestions were made and discussed. Music by Richard Russell. Readings by Sisters Clifford and Gougeon. Questions asked by Lecturer and answered by Grange Closing song, Grange.

The Merry Trollers 4-H Club met at the home of Mrs. Iola Forbes on Jan. 16, 1937. The meeting opened with the singing of several songs. We voted to have a skating party and a Valentine box at the next meeting, Feb. 6. Dora Gallant and Beatrice Forbes are to make the box. Two new members joined. They were Phyllis Keniston and Barbara Brown. The leader instructed in regulating the location on the sewing machine.

Janet Young and Phyllis Keniston are on the recreation committee for next meeting.

Resettlement Administration Selecting Farmers

Selection of Maine families to occupy farms now being purchased and developed by the Resettlement Administration for its State of Maine Farms project is now actively under way, according to Chester A. Hainan, RA community manager, who is in charge of operations.

First selectmen, mayors, city managers, the Red Cross, Granges, county extension agents, and many other officials and agencies are being invited to cooperate in recommending prospective families for resettlement. It is the desire of the government, according to Mr. Hainan, to assist worthy families to establish themselves on good farms in Maine and, with supervision and financial aid, help them on the way to farm ownership.

Among the considerations which will determine selection of families are the following: (1) applicants must be heads of families, preferably between 30 and 40 years old; (2) they must be in normal health, with no physical handicaps, and (3) they must possess farming ability and experience, preferably having followed farm life. Geographical availability is also a consideration.

Young married couples with children are among those encouraged to apply. Others include those who have lost their farms, through no fault of their own, and renters who have shown ability to operate farms. Applications should be made, or requests for information addressed, to Chester A. Hainan, Community Manager, Resettlement Administration, 9 Columbia Building, Bangor.

Killed By Accident

Irvin E. Brown of Norway Center was fatally injured when his car overturned after skidding on the icy road near the C. A. Stephens residence at Norway Lake. He died soon after being removed from under the car where he was pinned.

Mr. Brown lived on the farm where he was born Aug. 25, 1875. He married Annie C. Walker of Harrison, who survives him, as do three daughters, Mrs. Eleanor Noble, Mrs. Evelyn Murch, and Miss Miriam A. Brown, all of Norway.

New Books at Bethel Library

NON-FICTION

All the Ways of Building, L. Lamprey

Given by L. Lamprey

Autumn in the Valley, Mrs. Winthrop Chandler

War Memories, David Lloyd George

In Search of England, H. V. Morton

FICTION

Figure Away, Phoebe Atwood Taylor

Golden Wedding, Anne Parrish

Great Laughter, Fannie Hurst

Drums Along the Mohawk, Walter D. Edmonds

Level Crossing, Phyllis Bottome

Salvage, Roger Verceel

The Dumb Gods Speak, E. P. Oppenheim

The Old Ashburn Place, Margaret Flint

Yang and Yin, Alice Tisdale Hobart

Flood Relief

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P. J. Clifford, Chairman

Old Orchard Team Here Friday

Girls' Interclass Game at Seven o'clock

Friday night at eight o'clock the Gould quintet will open a long series of home basketball games. The first of these should prove a good drawing card as it will bring to Bethel one of the better teams along the Cape. Last year the visitors had an exceptionally strong team and this year they have that same line-up man for man. The local team won last year, 37-31, and this year the lads from the summer resort are bent on avenging that defeat.

At Old Orchard last year the Gould team was shown the finest courtesy and good will. The boys came home, knowing they had been royally treated. It is the hope of the team that they can entertain their visitors as well next Friday. "Buck" Spinks, who officiated such a fine game against Oxford last Friday will again do the refereeing.

The preliminary game will be an interclass game between two girls' teams. This game will begin at seven o'clock.

Gould and Norway Divide

Gould Academy and Norway High divided a double header in basketball last Friday, Norway winning the main event while the local second team won a sensational one-point victory.

The Norway varsity found the Gould midgets easy last Friday and ran up a 32-18 victory. The small local team found it impossible to penetrate the Norway zone defense on their small floor. The few baskets that were made were from the center of the floor, over the entire defense. The losers put up a game fight and although they were against great odds did not let up a minute until the final whistle blew.

GOULD (18)			
Wentzell, rf	4	3	11
O. Robertson, lf	0	0	0
Silkes, lf, lg	0	0	0
Littlehale, lf	0	0	0
McFarland, c	0	0	0
E. Robertson, rg, c	0	2	2
Swain, rg	1	1	3
P. Brown, lg	0	2	2
	6	8	18

NORWAY (32)

Howe, rf	4	0	8
Wright, rf	4	1	1
Gallant, lf	2	1	15
Barlett, c	0	0	0
Cobb, c	0	0	0
Campson, lg	0	0	0
Jack, rg	0	0	0
Verona, lg	1	1	3
Frost, lg	0	0	0
	14	4	32

Referee--Morrill. Time--4 eights

"B" SQUAD LOSES GAME AT ANDOVER 15-10

In a return engagement the "B" Squad of Gould Academy dropped their second game of the season to Andover Wednesday evening, 15-10. Andover got away to a good start and led our boys 6-2 at half time. Our team came right back with a bang in the second half and tied the score at 8 all. Although they continued to pepper the basket they couldn't quite make their shots good as there is only about 3 1/2 feet clearance over the baskets.

The "B" team lined up with four Freshmen and one Sophomore and this combination played practically the entire game. Palmer at center for the locals was outstanding.

Income Tax Assistance at Local Bank

For the convenience of those who are required by law to file Federal Income Tax Returns and Social Security Tax Returns a Representative of Internal Revenue will be at the National Bank in Bethel February 6th and 6th for the purpose of assisting taxpayers in preparing their returns.

West Bethel

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Millett from Norway were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lovejoy one day recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Pendexter of Parsonsfield were callers at Mrs. Estella Goodridge's, Sunday.

Bert Bean and Mrs. Carrie Cunningham of Hildonville were the guests of Mrs. Carrie Goodnow and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hale, Sunday.

G. M. Bennett and Herman Bennett were in Portland, Saturday.

Phyllis Morrill was the week end guest of Beverly Kneeland.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Dismore of Oxford were at Fred Lovejoy's one day last week.

Senator and Mrs. John McKinnon of Augusta was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Kneeland, Sunday. The Young People met with Miss Floris Grover, Friday evening and enjoyed a social. Refreshments were served. A very pleasant time was reported.

Mrs. Chester Wheeler from West Paris was at her home for a few days last week.

Sherwin Bennett was in Winchendon, Mass., last week to see his sister, Ruby, who is in the hospital there.

Mrs. Carroll Abbott was in Berlin last Friday to see her brother, Rodney Grover, who is in the hospital there.

Archie Hutchinson had the misfortune to fall on the ice and injure his knee, so he is confined to the house.

'Everyman's Fair,' Says Whalen

NEW YORK. (Special).—Grover Whalen, President of the Fair Corporation, announced that official support and foreign participation in the New York World's Fair of 1939 are reaching new "high", and that there is an already obvious opportunity for every state to display advantageously its accomplishments and future possibilities and to join in making it one hundred percent "Everyman's Fair".

Pleasant Valley 4-H Club

Meeting opened by singing America, giving flag salute and club pledge. The regular business was in form. Subject matter was washing dishes by the "time saving" method. Games were enjoyed after the meeting. Next meeting to be held at our leader's home on February 6, 1937. The subject matter will be making a scrap book. Alida Vorrill and Marilyn Abbott are on the recreation committee for the next meeting.

Clover Seed Supply Low, Warn of Unsuspected Types

Supplies of clover and alfalfa seed are about one-fourth smaller than those of 1934 and 1935, due chiefly to drought, and the carry-over of alfalfa, sweet and red clover is much below average. Almost two million pounds of alfalfa have been ordered from Argentina and importation of other legume seeds will be heavy. In view of the important place these crops have in the agricultural conservation program, the Maine Extension Service reminds farmers that legume seed from many foreign sources is not generally satisfactory in Maine.

In Maine, domestic red clover seed gives best results. Canadian seed is also satisfactory. Foreign red-clover seed, other than Canadian, is generally susceptible to diseases, insect pests, and winter-killing when grown in the United States. Seeds from Northern Europe and England is more satisfactory than that from southern Europe or South America.

Farmers can identify imported seed by careful inspection. Under the terms of the Gooding Ketchum seed act, clover seed is stained at port-of-entry into the United States according to the following color scheme: seed from northern Europe and England, 1% stained green; seed from Canada, 1% purple; seed from Italy, 10% red, indicating that it is unsuited for general use in the United States.

Alfalfa seed from the Argentine, unsuited to Maine, is stained 10% orange-red at the port-of-entry. Alfalfa seed from the Southwest is also unsuited to Maine.

Prizes received by farmers for their principal crops produced in 1936 came within 13% of the 1929 level, says the bureau of agricultural economics.

Pleasant Valley Grange

At the regular meeting of Pleasant Valley Grange, Jan. 26, the following officers were installed by Deputy Ellis P. Davis, assisted by Olive Davis as marshal, Evelyn Knight as regalia bearer and Allice Dudley as emblem bearer and Mrs. Davis at the piano:

Worthy Master—Bernard Rolfe
Overseer—Gordon Mason
Lecturer—Ada Rolfe
Steward—Herman Bennett
Assistant Steward—Fred McKenzie

Chaplain—Betty Morrill
Treasurer—D. W. Cushing
Secretary—Frederick Grover
Gatekeeper—J. A. McKenzie, Jr.
Ceres—Elizabeth McKenzie
Pomona—Margaret Bennett
L. A. Steward—Bertha Mundt

The executive committee was absent. A rising vote of thanks was given Deputy Davis and his assistants. Bro. Davis made some encouraging remarks and gave some good advice. Bro. E. E. Bennett of Bear River Grange made some remarks and Bro. Guy Bartlett of Alder River Grange, followed by others. There were 20 members and 12 visitors present. A supper was served consisting of oyster stew, cake and coffee.

Bear River Grange

Bear River Grange met in regular session Saturday evening, June 23, with most of the new officers present. About 15 members attended. Bro. P. O. Brinck was installed as Assistant Steward by the Worthy Master, E. L. Holt, assisted by Mrs. Holt. A committee was appointed to investigate ways of raising money.

The Willing Workers will serve a six o'clock supper at the Grange Hall, Saturday night, Jan. 30th, with a whist party in the evening. Come and enjoy an evening at whist. Members not solicited please bring ples.

Following is the Literary program which was presented:
Opening Song, "Work for Night Is Coming"
Remarks by the Worthy Master on Grange Work
Report of Lecturers' Conference by the Lecturer

Gwendolin Holt
Reading, Bro. French
Song, "Church in the Wildwood"
Reading, Bro. Edw. Bennett
Reading, Josephine Smith
Reading, Arthur Bennett
Reading, Edna Smith
Reading, C. F. Saunders
On General Motors Strike
Reading, Addie Saunders
Closing Song
Reading, Minnie Bennett
A lunch was served following the meeting. At the next regular meeting the refreshments will be furnished by the officers.
The "Home and Community Welfare Committee" appointed consists of Addie Saunders, Ida Wight and Minnie Bennett. Names of other committees for 1937 will appear next week.

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BETHEL, MAINE

Upton

The Ladies' Aid held an all day meeting at the Library Building on Thursday, Jan. 21st. Mrs. Mary Vail and Mrs. Pearl Peaslee served a Square Meal for Health at noon.

At the regular Grange meeting Saturday evening, Jan. 23, the first and second degrees were conferred upon a class of three candidates.

Pearl Barnett, Gordon Barnett and Richard Williamson.

Mr. and Mrs. Gustave Roberts and boys went to Lewiston, Saturday to visit Paul Roberts.

Gordon Barnett was home from Berlin over the week end.

Rev. and Mrs. John Mantor are attending convocation services at Bangor Theological Seminary this week.

Mrs. Werton Sargent, who has been quite ill in the Newton Center, Mass., hospital is better, so she has left the hospital.

Albert Jenkins is spending this week in Orono and vicinity.

North Newry

Mrs. Gladys Whitney of Hanover is taking care of Lillian Coleman in Grafton. Miss Coleman suffered a shock several weeks ago.

The regular church supper was at the home of Francis Davis, Friday night. About \$6.00 was realized.

The young people had a whist party at the home of Mr. Morton, Thursday, night.

Rev. John Fitzpatrick of Errol, N. H., will conduct the church service here Sunday.

Supt. R. E. Pomeroy was in town Monday visiting schools.

The School at the Head of Tide are enjoying hot lunches this winter under the able direction of the teacher, Mrs. Daly.

Fifth Grade News

The following pupils of the Fifth Grade in the Bethel Grammar School received 100% in Spelling for the week ending Jan. 22nd: Carol Robertson, Gilbert LeClair, Marcia Smith, Myrtle Bacheider. Those having perfect attendance during the past six weeks are: O'Neill Bacheider, Gilbert LeClair, Edward Little, Jr., Carol Robertson, Raymond Wentzel.

Songo Pond

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kimball have returned to their own home and Mr. Kimball is having his ice put in. Stanley Lapham is hauling it.

Joe Payne of Chatham was a visitor at Elmer Saunders', Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Saunders with Joe Payne motored to Norway and also called on Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith and family at Locke Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Crockett and daughter Thelma and Miss Ethel Smith visited with Mrs. Mae Cash, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown of Lewiston and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Kimball and daughter Leona were in Bethel Saturday afternoon, shopping.

Julius Robinson of Skillingston had an accident Saturday afternoon at the bridge by the Good place. His car left the road, taking the railing and two posts off, turned over and landed on its wheels. One wheel and the headlight was broken off. The covering on the top was also torn off. Outside of a shaking up, Mr. Robinson, and another man were unhurt. They very narrowly escaped the brook.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kimball and Mrs. Maud Kimball and son Lawrence motored to Norway one day recently.

Bryant's IGA Market

IGA Tomato Soup, 3 cans 18c
KRISPY CRACKERS, lb. 17c
Wax Beans, 2 No. 2 cans 25c
GRAPEFRUIT, Superba, 2 No. 2 cans 23c
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE, Large No. 5 can 26c
CHOCOLATE DROPS, 19c
Electric Light Bulbs, 6 for 79c
Dawn Toilet Paper, 3 rolls 19c
GRAPE JAM, 16-oz. jar 19c
Refugee Beans, No. 2 can 15c

Outlook Justifies State Participation In New York Fair**Whalen Voices Opinion in Inviting Governor and People to the 1939 Exposition**

NEW YORK. (Special).—In a letter of invitation to the governors of 47 states, Grover Whalen, President of the New York World's Fair 1939 Corporation, points out that the commercial consequences of the international exposition under construction in New York City are so great and important that they alone would justify the active participation of every state in the nation.

"Fifty million persons from every walk in life, from every state in the United States, from every country in the world, are expected to attend the Fair," writes Mr. Whalen. "The great American market with its tremendous consumer purchasing power will be represented by these visitors. They will comprise a true cross-section of America."

The World's Fair, according to Mr. Whalen, will be a magnificent spectacle, entertaining and instructive. It will attempt to answer the questions: "What kind of a world have we built? What kind of a world are we building? What kind of a world can we build?" With collateral improvements, it will represent a total investment of more than \$125,000,000 by the Fair Corporation and the governmental, industrial and other participants. The Fair site park is a tract of 1216 1/2 acres, almost at the geographical and population center of New York City.

Construction of buildings and roads, grading, dredging, planting and landscaping are already under way, based upon a schedule which calls for completion of all construction operations before January 1, 1939, to allow four months for final decorations and installation of exhibits preparatory to the opening of the Fair on April 30.

The opening date commemorates the inauguration, on April 30, 1789, of George Washington as the first President of the United States.

In the government area, and near an imposing federal hall to be erected by the United States Government, the Fair will provide a "Hall of States" in which the significant contributions of each state in laying the foundations for the better World of Tomorrow can be proudly displayed, says Mr. Whalen.

His letter supplement an invitation to participate in the Fair extended to the governors on November 30 by Governor Herbert H. Lehman of the host state of New York. Governor Lehman pointed out that the State of New York, as already appropriated, to date, \$2,130,000 for commencement of construction of boulevards, service roads, bridges, and certain other basic improvements the State will make at the exposition site or its approaches. The New York legislature, further, June 1936 passed an act creating the New York World's Fair Commission of 18 members and providing funds in aid of this body's preparation of plans for a building and exhibit and a state participant in the

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Persons You Meet . . .



S. N. BLACKWOOD

Mr. Blackwood, widely and popularly known as "Sam," was born in Boston October 28, 1883. His education was completed in the high school and at the Bryant & Stratton business college, after which he was with the John Hancock Life Insurance Company five years.

For the past 32 years he has been in the hotel business. He was with the United Fruit Company seven years, building and managing their Hotel Tilchfield at Port Antonio, Jamaica, B. W. I. During that time he was the manager of the New Ocean House at Swampscott several summers and also was in charge of a hotel at North Conway.

He came to Bethel as manager of the Bethel Inn in 1914 but after one season went to Boston, where he was associate manager of the Copley Plaza 13 years. In October, 1930, he returned to Bethel Inn and ever since has held the position of manager there.

He was also connected with Raymond Whitecomb Company travel agency for some time.

In 1908 he was married to Miss Charlotte Lombard of Bath.

"Blood-Ties" to Prove

Relationship of Ancient

Kings and queens of ancient Egypt, 1800 years in their royal tombs, soon may be "blood-typed" to determine their relationship to each other.

A method of finding the blood type from dried mummies, remains of the time the mummy has been dead, has been worked out successfully with American Indian mummies several centuries old, according to an announcement by two physicians at the Boston university. In the Journal of the American Anthropological society, they believe the technique will be just as applicable to Egyptian mummies.

Human blood groupings, they explain, are due to two extremely stable chemical substances, the nature of which is unknown, which are found chiefly in the red blood cells. Upon the basis of their blood clotting reactions they divide the human race into four groups: those possessing one or the other of the agglutinating chemicals themselves, those with both, and those with neither.

There are slight but not very significant racial and geographical differences. The substances are found in the blood of all races and even the manlike apes.

These substances were found hard to destroy by such methods as heating or drying. They are found not only in the red blood cells, but in a lesser degree, throughout the body.

The two Boston university physicians have worked out a special technique to determine the blood group from the dried blood of the mummies. It has proved accurate for both apes and human bones. Since the blood of blood type is hereditary and well established, it is much so that they are often stated by the experts to cases of the putred mummies to be evidence that it will be possible to identify at least some of the long-dead rulers.

Among the 100 new off-the-airway weather observation stations erected this month by the U. S. Weather Bureau are those in Bangor and Houlton. The Bangor station is one of the additional facilities at the same time.

BETHEL AND VICINITY

Stanley Hamlin has returned to Cambridge, Mass.

Miss Roma Warren is visiting in Boston this week.

Fred B. Merrill was in Portland Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Rosalind Rowe is spending a short recess at her home in town.

F. F. Bean and H. E. Jordan were business visitors in Portland Tuesday.

F. P. Flint is going to Boston today to attend the Sportmen's Show.

Mrs. Sayles of Adams, Mass., is the guest of her son, P. S. Sayles, for a few days.

John Berry has returned to the home of Mrs. H. A. Packard and will attend the Academy.

Fred A. Hunt of New York City was a recent guest of his son, Frank A. Hunt, and family.

Mrs. Dorothy Tucker and daughter Patricia are keeping house in the upstairs rent at Jasper Cates'.

Myron Bryant and Eugene Van attended the annual meeting of the Ark Mariners at Norway Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Wilma Quimby is in Boston this week, attending the New England Hairdressers' Show at the Hotel Statler.

Roy Davis has accepted a position as teacher of French in the Wascokeag School at Dexter and will begin work there Monday.

Miss Edith Kirk left this morning for Southern Pines, N. C. En route she will visit relatives in Portland, Swampscott, Mass., and Philadelphia.

The Bethel Townsend Club will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace F. Clark, Sunday, Jan. 31, at 8 p. m. After the meeting a social hour will be enjoyed and refreshments will be served. A cordial invitation is extended to all interested persons.

The regular meeting of Sunset Rebekah Lodge will be held on Monday evening, Feb. 1, and all members are urged to be present.

At the meeting on Feb. 15, Martha Libby of Portland, Grand Warden of the Rebekah Assembly, will visit the lodge.

The first pussywillow of the season is reported by Clarita Angeles, who found one in a field on the Songo road this week. Mayflowers have been exhibited for some time by Mrs. Beale Sloane, but we understand they were encouraged by indoor warmth.

Eleven tables were in play at the card party held Wednesday evening at the Legion Rooms, sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary.

Miss Edna McMillin and Jesse Doyen won first prizes. Consolation were won by Mrs. Fred Wheeler and Jack Poole.

The Past Chiefs of Mishemokwa Temple were entertained at the home of Mrs. Mary Ladd Wednesday afternoon with 27 present.

The afternoon was spent in a social way and music was rendered by the Drinck trio. Mrs. Ladd was assisted by Mrs. Wesley Wheeler.

Mrs. O. N. Sanborn, Mrs. Elmer Trask, and Mrs. Duncan McPherson.

Why Archer Fish is So Named

The Archer fish is an arrow-headed fish, the shape of which is caused by the shape of its mouth. The mouth is so shaped that it can shoot a stream of water at its prey. The water is shot out of the mouth by the action of the tongue. The water is shot out of the mouth by the action of the tongue. The water is shot out of the mouth by the action of the tongue.

Early Boats on Beasts

Recent finds in the Arctic region have shown that the early boats of the Arctic region were made of animal skins. The boats were made of animal skins and were used for hunting and travel. The boats were made of animal skins and were used for hunting and travel. The boats were made of animal skins and were used for hunting and travel.

Among the 100 new off-the-airway weather observation stations erected this month by the U. S. Weather Bureau are those in Bangor and Houlton. The Bangor station is one of the additional facilities at the same time.

Edgar N. Carver

Edgar N. Carver, who founded the Canton Telephone, predecessor of the Rumford Falls Times, 53 years ago, passed away at his home, 206 Commonwealth Ave., Boston, last Thursday.

Mr. Carver was born in Livermore, Jan. 9, 1887, the son of Nathan and Hannah Adams Carver. He graduated from Wilton Academy and served an apprenticeship in the office of the Phillips Phonograph and on Jan. 17, 1893 issued the first number of the Canton Telephone from the printing office of James W. Bicknell with whom he was associated. With the extension of the railroad from Canton to Rumford in 1892, the following year he moved his plant to Rumford and established the Rumford Falls Times. In 1905 he was appointed Auditor of State Printing, which office he held until 1912. That year he went to Boston, where for many years he conducted a linotype school.

He was for several years a deacon at the Tremont Temple. He was also a Mason and Odd Fellow, and was affiliated with several printing organizations. He is survived by one daughter, Miss Alice M. Carver, a teacher in Watertown High School. Mrs. Carver died in 1933. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon in the Tremont Temple. Interment was at Canton, Monday.

Alabama Dries Win Fight To Keep Prohibition Law

Dry leaders in Alabama are rejoicing today over the action of the state senate in voting down a proposed repeal bill 20 to 12.

The lower house in Alabama, under pressure of wet lobbyists, passed a measure to legalize the sale of intoxicants, but the legislature adjourned before the senate acted upon the bill.

In the interim, church leaders throughout the state waged a vigorous campaign urging their senators to respect their campaign pledges.

Alabama, dry for 21 years, is the only state in the nation which prohibits the sale of all intoxicants, including beer. In Kansas and Oklahoma, both under constitutional prohibition, 3.2 beer is generally dispensed on the grounds that it is a "non-intoxicating" beverage, according to the National Voice News Bureau.

Golfless Goldsmith

Oliver Goldsmith's publisher gave the lovable but thriftless author a note for 100 guineas for the "Deserted Village" and a friend meeting him a few hours later observed that it was a lot of money for so short a performance. Goldsmith agreed with him, returned the money, leaving it entirely to the publisher to pay him according to the prices promised by the forthcoming book.

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Gilead

A. D. Wight is confined to his home by illness.

Earl Rice of Harpswell and Claude Hammond of Gardiner returned Tuesday after spending the week end at their homes.

Charles Chase of the U. S. Forest Service has been enjoying a vacation from his duties at the Wild River C. C. Camp.

John McBride was a visitor in Bethel Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Holden were visitors in Gorham, N. H., Sunday.

James Brown, who is employed in Warren, N. H., spent the week end with his family here.

Claude Meserve, foreman of the W. P. A. project, has completed his duties at Lary Brook bridge and returned to his home in Bridgton.

HERBERT L. WATSON

The many friends of Herbert L. Watson were sorry to learn of his death which occurred Saturday at weeks.

He was born in Randolph, N. H., 1 a. m. after an illness of several in 1897, the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Watson. In June 1897 he was united in marriage to Alice Hicks of this town. He was employed as section foreman on the G. T. R. R. for many years.

The funeral services were held at his late home Monday at 2 p. m. with the Rev. William Sinclair of Gorham, N. H., officiating. There were many beautiful flowers from relatives and friends. The pall bearers were Charles and Fred Cole, Charles Quimby and George Daniels. Interment was in the Pine Grove Cemetery.

The Stand at Concord Bridge

On April 18, 1775, Maj. William Dawes, the first messenger to leave Boston with a warning of General (Gage's) plans for an expedition to Lexington and Concord, passed through the British lines on Boston Neck and, following a longer route than that of the more famous Paul Revere, reached Lexington half an hour after the others. Here Dawes and Revere were joined by Dr. Samuel Prescott of Concord and with him they proceeded toward that town. Captured by the British, Revere subsequently escaped and joined friends at Lexington. After narrow escapes, either Dawes or Prescott or both of them, reached Concord about 2 p. m. with the warning which made possible the historic stand of the Americans at Concord bridge.

North Woodstock

Mrs. George Abbott visited Mrs. Leslie Abbott Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie McGuire and two daughters of West Peru spent several days recently with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Cushman, Mr. and Mrs. Lubert McGuire and two daughters of West Peru were week end visitors.

Mrs. John Hemingway is visiting relatives in Lewiston.

Doris Coffin was at home Sunday from her work at Norway.

James Knights, Mr. and Mrs. Durward Lang and son Merl visited one evening last week with Mr. and Mrs. Newton Bryant at Greenwood.

Mrs. George Davis is not as well. Mrs. James Knights and two children spent Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. Francis Cole.

Herschel Abbott is staying at the village with Mrs. Ada Abbott.

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"Neither of the Barry Middahs, probably because of the remoteness of their Vermont farm, had been frequent moviegoers. But



Their first experience offered a rather unexpected thrill. Hardly had they become settled in their seats before they became aware of whispered remarks being exchanged in the row behind them. The remarks were in substance something of this nature: "That's a nice shot." "Yeah, it was taken out at the old Remuda ranch." "Oh, there's Paul! He's doing pretty well in this picture." "Not bad

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Barry always sounded more ferocious than his naturally mild disposition permitted him to act. Nothing, perhaps, would have resulted from his threat had it not happened that he and Jane were unfortunate enough to secure seats in front of a pair of unusually loud whippersnors on the very next night. It happened, too, that the current picture was one starring Alex Jeffery, an up-and-coming young star who had become a great favorite of the Middlebush.

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Barry Ekdahl settled himself comfortably. He seemed contented and there was a smile in his lips. "Two," he said, "can play at this whisperin' game as well as one. Now maybe we can enjoy the show."

All liquor billboards, placards and window displays will be prohibited in Virginia under new regulations being laid down by the Virginia Alcohol Beverage Control Board.

A bill also before the Pennay.
vania state legislature this month
would prohibit all outdoor adver-
tising of liquors and beer in the
state.

The stature of southern South Americans is listed as the tallest race, with an average of 5 feet 11 inches. Whitaker's Almanac gives the average for Scotland as 5 feet 8 1/2 inches; Irishmen, 5 feet 8 inches; Englishmen, 5 feet 7 1/2 inches; Welshmen, 5 feet 6 1/2 inches. The United States Public Health service has estimated the average height of men in this country as 5 feet 8 inches. The Swedes are listed as having an average height of 5 feet 7 inches. Denker's "The Races of Man" says that highest stature is limited to northern Europe, northern America, Polynesians and Africa; the true home of low stature populations is India, Japan and the Malay Archipelago, but is also met with in some South American tribes, the Negritos and the Bushmen of Africa, the Dravidians and the Kolis of India and in western Siberia.

M. A. Naimoy's store-wide sale continues to attract hundreds of shoppers from in town and out of town. The entire stock is priced attractively and thrifty people are saving plenty. Sale closes Saturday night. See ad on page eight. adv.

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Sunday morning follow the usual schedule. Waterford and Waterville and East Stoneham. Lovell at 11:15. It is suggested that the service in the Neighborhood, Sunday be held at the home of that idea, this week. Invited to meet with The Young People's Union evening at the New Parsonage.

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OXFORD COUNTY UNITED PARISH

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Mr. Gledhill and Mr. Bull are planning to leave on Tuesday to attend part of Convocation Week at Bangor. Mr. Gledhill will go from Bangor to New York, coming back to Springfield on Monday to attend a pre-Lenten Conference there on Evangelism. We are all glad to greet the Swanks last week on their return from Pennsylvania. We are sorry that part of their vacation was devoted to a close acquaintance with the gripe.

On Thursday and Friday evening of this week there will be a Circle Supper at East Stoneham and Center Lovell. After supper stereopticon pictures will be shown giving us an idea of what is being done by some of the Churches of the South. These pictures are especially interesting to us, because they show something of the work done at Pleasant Hill Academy to which some of our missionary gifts are sent.

Sunday morning services will follow the usual schedule: North Waterford and Waterford, at 10:00; and East Stoneham and Center Lovell at 11:15. It has been suggested that the services in the Clark Neighborhood, Sunday afternoon, be held at the homes. We may try that idea, this week. We have been invited to meet with Olive Little. The Young People will meet in the evening at the North Waterford Parsonage.

Next Tuesday there will probably be a Circle at North Waterford, though as yet we have not been able to contact the highest authority on that question. Plan to be there.

On Friday evening there will be a Circle upper at the Wilkins Community House at Waterford. Major Bowes and his Amateurs, at least one troupe of them, will be on hand to help entertain during the evening.

Why N. O. Battle Was Important

The last battle of the War of 1812 between the United States and Great Britain was fought at Chalmette, near New Orleans, La., January 8, 1815 and was known as the Battle of New Orleans. Although the battle was fought after the Treaty of Ghent had been signed, it had important results. Schooler, the historian, says that it was the only battle of the war to make any impression on Europe. It strengthened the position of the administration, and it was an important factor in the future election of President Jackson who because of his military talents displayed there, became the idol of the American people.

South Albany

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stearns and daughters Barbara and Janice were in Bethel, Sunday afternoon.

Arthur Wardwell delivered a load of wood at Locke Mills, Saturday.

Murray Ring has a sick cow at this writing.

Alice Andrews was a week end guest at Roy Wardwell's.

C. M. Fullerton was in Norway on business, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Grover have moved back to their home at Lovell.

Roy and Arthur Wardwell plowed the improved roads Monday.

A. R. Clark is having the pine timber cut on his place here. Bob Kun is logging it.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Ring were in Bethel, Sunday, on business.

The loggers appreciate these small snow storms.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Dionne were in Lewiston, Monday.

A dance was held at the K. of P. Hall, Friday night, but owing to so much sickness there was a very small crowd.

Carroll Curtis is substituting on mail route for Carlton Barker, as he is on the sick list.

Donald Elles, who is working in Gorham, Me., was at home Friday and Saturday.

John Elles, Jr., attended the young people's social at Waterford Friday night.

Sixteen attended the sewing bee at Mrs. Grace Bickford's last Wednesday. Much work was accomplished.

STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court, held at Paris in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-seven, from day to day from the third Tuesday of said January. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris, on the third Tuesday of February, A. D. 1937, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Margaret E. Long and Delwin H. Long of Greenwood, minors; First account presented for allowance by Eva E. (Long) Swan, guardian.

Rollin N. Stetson, late of Sumner, first account presented for allowance by Nellie L. Stetson, executrix.

Witness, Albert J. Stearns, Judge of said Court at Paris this 19th day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-seven.

6 EARLE R. CLIFFORD, Registrar.

Maine has a direct coastline of 250 miles that is so notched by bays and inlets that it has a tidal line of more than 2,400 miles equal in length to one half of the entire Atlantic coast line in the United States.

Girls of Provencal Pop Question in Novel Way

Following a medieval custom, Provencal girls "pop the question," writes an Avignon, France, correspondent in the Detroit Free Press.

The young woman makes a delicious Provencal cake called a "fougasse." Then, she places it with a jar of wine somewhere outside her house. In fact, certain old houses have niches in the wall made especially for this purpose by the builders.

When her prospective husband comes along, he eats the cake and drinks the wine. Finally, he leaves a token in the niche, usually a silk-embroidered scarf. This is his way of saying, "Will you marry me?" She answers the following Sunday, simply by wearing the scarf, (or whatever it was) when she goes to church. A few weeks later the wedding bells ring out.

But, if the Provencal girl prepared the "fougasse" as a joke, if she considered it only as a pleasant-try, she says "no" to her lover by offering him a handful of oats.

Holding up the bride party after the wedding is a common custom in Provencal. A flower-decked rope is stretched across the street and kept there until the bridegroom pays toll to Cupid's highwaymen.

Further, when a French girl marries a young man from another village, her old friends barricade the road until the groom has treated everybody to drinks. Instead of resenting this custom, the bride judges her popularity by the size of the crowd that stops her.

Magpie, Handsome Bird, Is Native of Mountains

The body of the magpie is about the size of that of a crow black-bird, but the long tail adds eight to ten inches, so that the total length is from 15 to 20 inches. Its colors present a strong contrast. The head, neck, breast, back and thighs are deep black, the top of the head green-glossed; wings and tail glossy, with violet and other metallic reflections; shoulders of the wings and under parts pure white.

This striking and handsome bird, says a writer in the Montreal Herald, is seen everywhere from the Plains to the Pacific coast, from the borders of Mexico to northern Alaska, and it breeds wherever it lives, not being migratory, though wandering about in winter in small troops, which keep in the shelter of timber for the most part. Its original and proper place is in the mountains, where it makes its home in wooded valleys. As the Plains became more settled and cultivated it wandered farther and farther from the hills and some years ago began to be seen in Manitoba, where now it is a permanent resident.

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Maine has 15,000,000 acres of timberland, the largest forest area in the east.

State of Maine

In Senate, Jan. 6, 1937. ORDERED, the House concurring, that no bill for private or special legislation be received by this legislature after four o'clock in the afternoon on Thursday, February 4, 1937, except by unanimous consent in the body in which it is introduced, and further,

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ROYDEN V. BROWN, Secretary of the Senate.

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III	1.00	2.05	54
IV	2.00	1.50	40

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Why Sound Sleep Is Not So Good—“Sleeping like a log” is an incorrect description of healthy sleep. The average healthy person in bed in a “rescued” type of sleep in which there are involuntary body movements that increase as the sleep continues, reports Dr. Donald A. Laird, professor of psychology, Colgate university. In the Medical Record variations from this type of sleep are produced by illness or gastric distress.

List Poultrymen With Pullorum-Free Stock

The 1937 list of pullorum-clean and pullorum-passed poultry flocks as shown by tests conducted by the department of bacteriology at the University of Maine is now available. The number of birds tested this year far exceeded the former high set last year, when approximately 150,000 birds were tested.

All birds in flocks included in the list have been tested for pullorum disease infection by the tube agglutination method, generally considered the most reliable method in use, since September 15, 1936. A pullorum-clean flock is defined as one in which all birds on the premises have passed two consecutive negative tests, at least six months apart, all birds being tested at or near the same time, or a flock in which all birds have passed one negative test, provided all birds in the flock came from pullorum-clean sources.

A pullorum-passed flock is one in which all birds on the premises have passed one negative test, all birds being tested at or near the same time.

Flock owners are listed according to the kind of birds in their flocks. These divisions include: Rhode Island Reds, Barred Plymouth Rocks, New Hampshire Reds, White Plymouth Rocks, and other minor breeds.

The department warns that buyers should recognize that pullorum disease is the only thing for which these flocks were tested. Copies of the list are available on request from the department of bacteriology, College of Agriculture, Orono.

MARRIAGE

In West Paris, Jan. 23, by Rev. Elmer H. Forbes, Kenneth M. Lawrence of Bethel and Miss Heather M. Heath of East Sumner.

BIRTH

In Boston, Jan. 31, Edward N. Carver, formerly of Rumford, aged 86 years.

In Hiram, Jan. 17, Mrs. Peter J. Cole aged 81 years.

In Newcastle, N. H., Jan. 25, Charles D. Mandy, aged 70 years.

In Orono, Jan. 22, Herbert L. Watson, aged 79 years.

In Norway, Jan. 27, Irene M. Brown aged 61 years.

GOULD ACADEMY NOTES

At a recent class meeting held for the Freshmen, Kathryn Davis was elected secretary and Doris Gregory, treasurer. The committee appointed for class colors; Virginia Davis, Eva Vashaw and Madeline Hall; class motto committee; Elton Speer, Sherman Williamson and Alida Verrill.

Mid-Year Examinations are being held at Gould Academy on Thursday and Friday of this week. There will be three 1½ hour exams each day with two coming in the forenoon and one in the afternoon. School will run on a special schedule on these days.

A Post-Exam Dance will be held in the William Blugham Gymnasium on Saturday from 2:30 to 5 o'clock. It is hoped that the student body will attend as there is a very small admission charge. This dance is sponsored by the Girls' Dormitory and the proceeds go to pay for the ping-pong table.

Declarations have been presented in the assembly hall by the following students during the past week: Dana Brooks, Barbara Hall, Helen Stevens, Edward Robertson, John King, Theodore Cummings, Robert Swain, Ethel Jodrey, Marjorie Fish, Helen Lowe, Roydon Keady, Lydia Norton, Rita Hunt, Miss Lewis Porter, Anne Ring, Lawrence Perry, Louise Jacobs, Jan. Chapin, Jane Waterhouse, Archer Waterhouse, Theodore Cummings, Yvonne Kimball, Mary Stearns, Marjorie Fife, Vivian Berry, Mary Clough, Mary Robertson, Evelyn Kimball, Irene Foster, Barbara Lyon, Dwight Stiles, Claire Tebbels, Hinton Dodge, Rodney Wentzel, Charlotte Thurston, Mellen Kimball and Helen Crouse.

The Girls' Interclass Basketball Tournament opened with much enthusiasm last week: the seniors defeating the sophomores 22-21; the juniors winning over the freshmen 27-9. In the games this week the upper classes again were victorious: the juniors beating the sophomores 30-15 and the seniors defeating the freshmen 24-16.

SENIORS	pts.	fls.	total
A. Lyndon	2	0	15
H. Moore	6	1	12
H. Stearns	0	1	1
E. Vall, R. Foss			
L. Jacobs, P. Davis			
H. Hutchins			
Y. Kimball	15	2	32

SOPHOMORES	pts.	fls.	total
V. Smith	2	0	4
V. Chapman	1	0	2
S. Bird	4	0	8
M. Clough, M. Bennett			
H. Lyon, J. Little			
A. Greenleaf	7	0	14

JUNIORS	pts.	fls.	total
P. Hunt	5	1	13
I. Dean	3	2	8
N. Philbrook	10	0	20
M. Fish	2	0	4
P. Goodwin	3	2	9

FRESHMEN	pts.	fls.	total
H. Young	1	0	2
E. Davis, C. McMillan			
H. Ham, M. Bird			
E. Vashaw, M. Vall	1	0	2

Handicap	pts.	fls.	total
Total	24	6	54

Handicap	pts.	fls.	total
Total	7	0	7

Referee—Dwight Stiles

ODEON HALL, Bethel

Adults 35c—Children 20c Show begins at 8:10 P. M.

Friday and Saturday, Jan. 29-30

June Lang, Frederic March, Lionel Barrymore, Warner Baxter

Road to Glory

Bank Night, Tues., Feb. 2—\$25-25-10 CASH

RAY MILLAND—DOROTHY LAMOUR

The Jungle Princess

SENIORS	pts.	fls.	total
B. Moore	5	0	10
A. Lyndon	5	0	10
H. Stearns	4	0	8
C. Philbrook			
E. Vall, M. Tibbels			
L. Jacobs, R. Foss			
Y. Kimball	17	0	34

FRESHMEN	pts.	fls.	total
E. Young	1	4	6
E. McMillan, V. Davis			
K. Davis, C. McMillan			
M. Bird, M. Vall	1	4	6

Handicap	pts.	fls.	total
Total	10	0	10

Referee—R. Brown

JUNIORS	pts.	fls.	total
P. Hunt	4	0	8
N. Philbrook	10	1	21
P. Goodwin	0	1	1
V. Berry, H. Crouse			
E. Lyon, G. Stanley	14	2	30

SOPHOMORES	pts.	fls.	total
H. Lowe	0	2	2
V. Chapman	3	0	6
M. Clough, M. Bennett			
A. Greenleaf, B. Lyon	5	3	13

Handicap	pts.	fls.	total
Total	18	0	18

Referee—R. Brown

Gould Loses At Fryeburg

Gould Academy lost another hard fought battle when they dropped a 32-22 decision to Fryeburg Academy. The losers got off to a good start and led 10-2 after 6 minutes of play. At the first quarter the Gould mid-lets still led 10-6 but Small, Fryeburg's 6 foot 3 inch center began showing his effectiveness. The game waxed furious during the second period, getting rougher and rougher as the game wore on. At the half time the score stood deadlocked at 14 all.

In the final periods the Fryeburg team forged gradually ahead leading 24 to 20 at the end of the third period. In the final stanza Fryeburg scored eight points to Gould's two to win 32-22. Small, the victors big center, led the scoring with 12 points. The rough character of play which the referees, a C. C. C. Camp man, was unable to cope with was a distinct disadvantage to Gould's small quintet.

GOULD (22)	pts.	fls.	total
E. Wentzel, Jr.	3	3	9
O. Robertson, Jr.	2	0	4
Littlehale, Jr.	0	0	0
McFarland, Jr.	1	0	1
Stiles, Jr.	1	1	2
Swain, Jr.	0	0	0
P. Brown, Jr.	2	0	4
D. Brown, Jr.	0	0	0

FRYEBURG (32)	pts.	fls.	total
Spring, Jr.	0	1	1
Oliver, Jr.	1	0	2
Cram, Jr.	4	1	9
Small, Jr.	6	0	12
Hankin, Jr.	0	0	0
Kimball, Jr.	3	1	7
Kwinnell, Jr.	0	1	1
Winnell, Jr.	0	0	0
Winnell, Jr.	14	4	22

Time—4 eights

In New York experiments, larger yields were obtained when mixed fertilizer was applied in granular form instead of the customary finely ground material.

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CHURCH ACTIVITIES

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. Herbert T. Wallace, Minister

Sunday, January 31st

9:30 a. m. Sunday School

11:00 a. m. Morning Worship

Sermon subject, "The Supremacy of Goodness." The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered at the close of the service.

6:30 p. m. Young People's Service.

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. P. J. Clifford, Minister

Sunday, Jan. 31

9:45 Church School

11:00 Morning Worship, Sermon Topic—The Plan of Safety. Good Music.

6:30 Epworth League

7:30 Evening Service, Sermon Topic—The Family of Christ.

The attendance is increasing but there is a seat and welcome for you.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

Sunday School at 10 o'clock.

Services Sunday morning at 10:45.

"Love" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, January 31, 1937.

The Golden Text is, "The Lord thy God in the midst of thee is mighty; he will save, he will rescue over thee with joy; he will rest in his love, he will joy over thee with singing." (Zeph. 3:17).

The citations from the Bible include the following passages: "Beloved, let us love one another: for love is of God; and everyone that loveth is born of God, and knoweth God. He that loveth not knoweth not God; for God is love." (1 John 4:7, 8).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following selections from the Christian Science Textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy:

"People go into ecstasies over the sense of a corporeal Jehovah, though with scarcely a spark of love in their hearts. Yet God is Love, and without Love, God, immortality cannot appear. Mortals believe in a finite personal God; while God is infinite Love, which must be unlimited." (Page 312: 14-17, 20-22).

Testimonial meetings at 7:30 p. m. on the second Wednesday of each month until May.

Secretary of Agriculture Wallace has allocated to Maine \$1,699,572 of federal funds for the federal-aid highway system, secondary roads, and grade crossing elimination, during the fiscal year beginning July 1937.

Mount Katahdin, in Maine, is the first spot in the United States to greet the morning sun.

Band Entertainment Places

The novel entertainment and concert presented by the Bethel Band last Thursday night at Odeon Hall won the praise of the audience which nearly filled the hall. The program offered enough variety for all and the reputation of local amateurs was maintained. The performance is to be repeated this evening.

TO PREVENT PNEUMONIA CARE FOR COLDS

Dr. Peter Irving, secretary of the New York State Medical Society, recently issued a warning bulletin on pneumonia mortality.

"The first symptoms of pneumonia," stated Dr. Irving, "appear usually in the course of a cold. Fewer colds would develop into more serious conditions if care were taken the first day or two to rest in bed, especially if there is fever or a feeling of weakness. Drink plenty of cold water. Eat lightly and simply. Always cough or sneeze into a handkerchief, to avoid giving the cold to others.

"Pneumonia is as fully an emergency as appendicitis, or other sudden afflictions, are known to be. The saving of lives from pneumonia depends in early recognition, and immediate medical and nursing care. Act at once if there is danger of pneumonia."

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